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SUBJECT: Elastomeric Interconnection Device and Methods for Making Same
Our Reference: PARI/981/US

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a patent application, including formal papers, as follows:

Applicant: Roger E. Weiss

Title: Elastomeric Interconnection Device and Methods for Making Same

Number of Pages of Specification: 33; Claims: 14; Drawings: 9; Declaration and
Power of Attorney; Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status

Filing Fee Calculation (Small Entity):

Basic Fee: \$ 380.00

Additional Fees:

Total number of claims in excess
of 20: 39 x \$9.00: \$ 351.00

Number of independent claims in
excess of 3: 1 x \$39.00: \$ 39.00

TOTAL FILING FEE: \$ 770.00

Applicant is claiming priority under 35 USC 119 and 37 CFR 1.55 based on
Provisional Patent Application No.60/112,535, filed on December 16, 1998, entitled
Elastomeric Interconnection Concepts.

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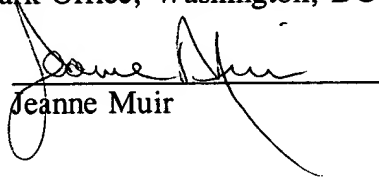


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